

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

IN RE: KIRKLAND LAKE GOLD LTD.
SECURITIES LITIGATION

Case No. 1:20-cv-04953

Judge: Hon. J. Paul Oetken

ORDER MODIFYING CASE SCHEDULE

WHEREAS, under the August 22, 2022 Joint Stipulation and Order (ECF No. 57) (“August 22 Order”), all proceedings in this Action were stayed for a period of 90 days while the Plaintiff and defendants Kirkland Lake Gold Ltd. and Anthony Makuch (collectively, “Defendants”) (together with Plaintiff, the “Parties”) attempted to resolve the matter through mediation;

WHEREAS, the Parties engaged in private mediation which did not result in a settlement of the Action (*see* ECF No. 58);

WHEREAS, on December 6, 2022 (ECF No. 59), the Court set a deadline for December 16, 2022 for the Parties to submit a proposed case schedule;

WHEREAS, the Parties have met and conferred regarding the case schedule outlined below;

WHEREAS, Defendants have consented to the case schedule outlined below;

THEREFORE, Plaintiff submits the following case schedule for the Court’s consideration:

Event	New Deadline
Fact Discovery	
Completion of all fact discovery	07/05/23
Substantial completion of document discovery	Completed
Interrogatories shall be served	Two months before completion of all discovery
Depositions shall be completed	07/05/23
Requests to admit shall be served	Two months before completion of all discovery
Class Certification	
Motion for class certification and Plaintiff's expert reports	01/31/23
Discovery requests to Plaintiffs re class certification	01/31/23
Deposition of Lead Plaintiff	03/06/23
Deposition of Plaintiff's class certification expert	03/10/23
Opposition to class certification and Defendants' expert reports	03/30/23
Deposition of Defendants' class certification expert	04/24/23
Reply ISO class certification motion and expert reports	05/07/23
Expert Discovery	
Completion of all expert discovery	10/25/23
Expert reports for the party that bears the burden of proof	08/05/23
Expert reports on issues where the party does not bear the burden of proof	09/14/23
Depositions of experts	10/25/23
Summary Judgment	
Summary judgment motions	11/21/23
Opposition to summary judgment motions	01/10/24
Replies ISO of summary judgment motions	02/26/24

SO ORDERED:

Date: December 22, 2022


 J. PAUL OETKEN
 United States District Judge